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## ACADEMY FIVE TAKES GAME FROM OLD POINT COLLEGE

Local Preps Win From Visitors in Extra  
Five Minutes of Play

After their defeat of last week at the hands of the Portsmouth High School the Academy came back strong and captured a spirited game from the Old Point Comfort College five last Friday night by a score of 34 to 31. The two teams battled gamely for 35 minutes to a tie score 30 all. The time of play was extended for five minutes during which time the Academy registered 4 counts to their opponents 1.

During the first half the locals had decidedly the best of the contest and the half ended with them holding the long end of a 21 to 12 score. The visitors came back strong in the second half and started with a rush which was checked only when they had tied the score.

Although the Academy five were off in their shooting and passing they made up in "pep" what they lacked in form.

For the visitors Folley and Pearce played best, while the work of Ellis and Burford for the Academy is especially commendable.

Line-up and summary:

O. P. C.	Position	W. & M. A.
Zabola.....	l f.....	Crigler
Folley.....	r f.....	Ellis
Pearce.....	c.....	Burford
Donelly.....	l g.....	Murphy
McLoughlan.....	r g.....	Amory

Substitutions, Armistead for Amory, Carson for Murphy; field goals, Ellis 7, Crigler 2, Burford 5, Murphy, Amory, Zabola 4, Folley 6, Pearce 4, Donelly; goals from fouls, Crigler, Ellis, Pearce; time of halves 20 and 15 minutes; referee, Stryker.

The Virginia Military Institute has again been ranked by the War Department as an honor military institution.

Of the 380 men in congress reporting a college education twenty-seven are from the University of Michigan. Virginia comes second with twenty and Harvard is third with nineteen.

Johns Hopkins' Medical College is another of the universities considering the establishment of a course in military training. The faculty has asked the board of trustees to institute such a course.

## INDIAN QUINT ADDS TWO MORE VICTORIES

Richmond College and Randolph-Macon Both  
Humbled on their own courts

The Indians administered the second defeat of the championship season to Richmond College when the Spiders were scalped by a 33 to 22 score at the Howitzer's armory in Richmond Wednesday night. The outcome of the contest was little in doubt at any time, the varsity outclassing the Red and Blue in every department of the game.

It was an exceedingly rough basketball encounter. The strenuous rivalry between the teams served to make the game rough. Several of the players were heavily padded and at times it seemed as if a football rather than a basketball game was being staged.

The Orange and Black by splendid passing were able to keep the ball out of the Spiders' hands a greater part of the time. While the Indian guards were playing a close game, Gayle, Jones and Zion did some fast work around the cage. The big center negotiated eight field goals, having little difficulty outplaying the Spider regular, Satterfield, and later in the game a substitute, Tyson.

Taking the lead at the start William and Mary an up sixteen points to the Spiders' eight in the first period. Richmond endeavored to "come back" in the second half, but their attack was soon checked. The Spiders, however, scored fourteen points in this period, while the Indians scored seventeen.

There was some strong defensive work displayed by the Williamsburgers and the team work of Dobson's proteges was effectively broken up. The Richmonders, when they did get their hands on the ball, were generally blocked off from passing and forced to toss the ball aimlessly in the air. Then the ball would go to the Indians, who would show a pretty combination in working it up to their goal. On many occasions the Spider guards would take a desperate swat at the ball to get it away from the basket and up the floor. Several times the ball was even booted.

Numerous substitutes were used by the Spiders in a vain effort to check the Indian attack. The var-

sity played the entire game without substitution.

A large and exuberant crowd thronged the galleries to witness the game. Among the spectators were many William and Mary alumni.

Gayle was the individual star for the Indians, while Wood and Poff played best for the Spiders.

Line-up and summary:

W. & M.	Position	R. C.
Zion.....	l f.....	Wood
Jones (capt).....	r f.....	L. Cosby
Gayle.....	c.....	Satterfield
Zehmer.....	l g.....	Cox
Stryker.....	r g.....	M. Cosby

Substitutions, Poff for M. Cosby, Tyson for Satterfield, Kirby for L. Cosby; goals from field, Zion 4, Jones 2, Gayle 8, Stryker 2, Wood 3, M. Cosby 2, Poff 2, Satterfield, Tyson; goals from foul, Wood 4, Jones, ; referee Hughes, (Virginia Polytechnic Institute.)

By accurate goal shooting the Indians defeated the Randolph-Macon Yellow Jackets in Ashland Saturday night by the close score of 24-22. Championship honors for the Eastern Virginia Association now look very bright, as the three hardest games of the series have been played and won.

Randolph-Macon took the lead at the start. In a few minutes the Jackets were leading by a 9 to 3 score. But the Indians started on the war path and at the end of the first the score was tied at 14-14.

The second half opened with a rush. Again the Jackets took the lead. William and Mary soon caught up and then the lead was held by first one and then the other. Gayle tied the score when he outjumped Scott under the basket and tipped the ball in. A minute later Zion shot the final goal, making the score 24 to 22. During the last few minutes of play neither team was able to make hardly any shots so intense was the defensive playing.

In passing the Methodists outclassed the Indians, but in brawn and goal shooting the Orange and Black wearers were superior. The

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## DEBATING TEAMS CHOSEN FOR INTERCOLLEGIATE CONTESTS

Simms, Ribble, Ferguson and Combs Gain  
Places in Last Contest

The second and final contest for the teams to represent William and Mary in both inter-collegiate debates was held on Monday night. Though only a few debaters entered much interest has been shown by the students' and many were present to hear the different debates.

After some deliberation the judges divided the successful debaters into three teams: In the triangular debate to be held March 5th, R. L. Combs and G. L. Ferguson will uphold the affirmative at home while H. H. Simms and F. D. G. Ribble will debate on the negative at Ashland. On April the seventh Ferguson and Simms will support the affirmative against Roanoke College. It will be seen that Simms will debate on both sides of the question. The judges gave him these positions on account of the excellent showing he made in the preliminary contests. The question as finally adopted is: Resolved, That the United States should relinquish the Monroe Doctrine as its governing principle in international relations.

The debates of all the contestants showed a thorough understanding of the subject and some real ability in argumentation. While these lacked the polish which will be necessary in the varsity debates they showed the result of hard work and conscientious study. There are yet five weeks before the first debate takes place so that considering the material in hand, at the end of that time the debaters should be in "rare form." There is every reason to believe that when the final test comes, all three teams will "bring home the bacon."

### STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	W	L	Pct.
William and Mary.....	3	0	1.000
Randolph-Macon.....	2	2	.500
Richmond College.....	2	3	.400
Hanpden-Sidney.....	1	3	.250

Records at the University of Wisconsin show that cross-country running has an injurious effect upon the health of the participants. The Western Conference is to consider the dropping of this sport.



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### VICTORY

Victory and celebration may well go hand in hand. Would that each game meant a celebration. But the victorious parade ceases to be such, and becomes a Vandal invasion when the property rights of others are no longer recognized. This was the case Saturday night, and contingent fees may suffer as a result.

With a victorious basketball quint now playing, and excellent prospects for a winning baseball team, it is necessary that some restraint be put upon wanton celebration. Continued vandalism is more than we can hope to be tolerated. There must be some consideration shown after our victories, for there cannot be as many celebrations as we hope and expect to have, similar to the one after our last game.

### A BOOK REVIEW

"The Confectionery of Monsieur Giron." The Michie Co., Charlottesville. By William Kavanaugh Doty, A. B., LL. B.

This most attractive little volume, from the pen of the founder and first editor of The Flat Hat, is all that Mr. Doty's friends could expect. The manners and customs of Kentucky life in Lexington during the early part of the last century are portrayed in simple, graceful style.

But especially is the "attractive little figure, rosy, suave and sunny" of M. Giron himself made to stand out, a genial, lovable host.

Mr. Doty's evident aim is to voice a protest against the destruction of old landmarks, as well as to preserve a picture of one whose ideal it was to make sunny the road-way of life.

### NOTED OF THE INDIANS

The R.-M. supporters figured that with Gayle guarded closely the game would be theirs. They forgot to figure on Jones, Zion, Stryker and Zehmer.

Poff played an excellent game for the Spiders. Through sheer weight he was able to hold down Zion.

In both the Richmond and Randolph-Macon games Stryker's work was of high order. In addition to shooting a total of five goals he guarded his men in almost perfect style.

The men of both teams entered the Spider game with the realization that a fight was on. Pads of all sorts, including a nose guard, were indicative of the idea of preparedness.

As far as we were able to find out, Saturday was the first time a William and Mary basketball team ever defeated the Yellow Jackets in their own gymnasium.

The Academy furnished another close game last Friday. The contest was marked by poor passing but the team had the fight.

By caging the ball eight times in the Richmond game Gayle was able to score practically half of the Indians' points.

"Doc" Billups has said it: "There's something wrong when we can't do the night work."

The Hampden-Sidney Tigers are here tonight fresh from devouring the Spiders. The game will be called at nine o'clock and a hard scrap is promised.

The Varsity is in fine shape and every Brave is ready to help repulse the onset of the Tigers.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

Messrs. C. C. Graves and H. T. Chandler left Thursday for Boston where they will attend the 68th annual convention of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

We are glad to see that Mrs. L. G. Tyler has almost completely recovered from her long illness.

Mr. T. F. West, an alumnus of the college, spent several days in Williamsburg last week.

Dr. E. L. B. Goodwin was in Richmond on business Saturday and attended the game at Ashland.

Mrs. B. E. Moncure is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Perhaps everyone has noticed the two bright stars Venus and Jupiter now visible in the western sky. Some days ago they appeared to be touching, at which time they were closer together than they had been in the last fifty years. Even then they were still five hundred million miles apart.

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### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Last Thursday night Dr. Calhoun spoke at the devotional meeting of the Y. M. C. A. He called attention to the advantages of the association to the individuals, not as one who had merely read about the working of the Y. M. C. A. but as one benefited both at home and in his travels abroad by the social, financial, educational and moral influences of this organization. There was an unusually large attendance.

In showing how the Y. M. C. A. had been a personal benefit, Dr. Calhoun told how in his travels in Europe he had come into contact with famous men through the medium of the Y. M. C. A., how he was aided in the study of language in France and Germany, and how he lived in the heart of Paris for seventy-five cents a day, because he was introduced in those countries to Y. M. C. A. leaders and made the Y. M. C. A. buildings his headquarters, whenever it was possible to do so. "In this country also," he continued, we find untold advantages in our Y. M. C. A.'s. More and more, educational branches, such as the study of modern languages, business courses and even engineering courses are being introduced into the association's curriculum.

"There is another important fact about this organization that I want you to remember, the Y. M. C. A. is altogether undenominational and it makes no difference what your religious preference may be you will find that you are always welcome as a member, and to its advantages, a few of which I have mentioned."

A business session followed the religious, in which the cabinet discussed the plans for converting the Y. M. C. A. room in the Gynasium into a comfortable lounging room, which would help to solve the problem of entertaining visiting athletic teams, since at present only rooms in dormitories are available for that purpose. Final arrangements will be agreed to as soon as the Legislature passes the appropriation for the college. The sum appropriated will determine whether the Gymnasium is to be enlarged, which in turn will affect the plans for the Y. M. C. A. room. This improvement has been agitated since the opening of college last fall and it is earnestly hoped it will soon be realized.

### CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

February 9th—William and Mary vs. Richmond College at Williamsburg. 38-33.

February 16th—William and Mary vs. Richmond College at Richmond. 33-22.

February 19th—William and Mary vs. Randolph-Macon at Ashland.

February 22nd—William and Mary vs. Hampden-Sidney at Williamsburg.

February 25th—William and Mary vs. Hampden-Sidney at Farmville.

March 4th—William and Mary vs. Randolph-Macon at Williamsburg.

### BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Manager J. M. Presson has announced the William and Mary baseball schedule for the 1916 season. Six games have been arranged for the home grounds, and of the nine games abroad six will be played on a trip through North Carolina.

The schedule:

March 25, Richmond Howitzers at home.

April 1, Union Theological Seminary at home.

April 3, A. & M. of North Carolina, at Raleigh, N. C.

April 4, Trinity College at Durham, N. C.

April 5, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, N. C.

April 6, Elon College at Elon College, N. C.

April 7, Elon College at Elon College, N. C.

April 8, Oakridge Institute at Oakridge, N. C.

April 15, Richmond College (championship) at Richmond, Va.

April 20, Lehigh University at home.

April 22, Randolph-Macon, (championship) at home.

April 26, Hampden-Sidney, (championship) at home.

April 29, Richmond College (championship) at home.

May 3, 58th Co. C. A. C. at home.

May 6, Randolph-Macon (championship) at Ashland.

May 10, Hampden-Sidney (championship) at home.

### COLLEGE COMMENT

The University of Michigan has instituted a course in aeronauting. An aeroplane has been purchased for "lab" work.

Great excitement is being shown at the University of Virginia over the bill introduced in the legislature for a co-ordinate college at the University. A very large majority of the students are greatly opposed to the establishment of a woman's college near the university.

Cornell has just begun to have to rent buildings off the campus in order to accommodate the students.

The Virginia Military Institute has seventy-two alumni now serving as commissioned officers in the regular army.

Emory and Henry has instituted an inter-high school declamation contest at that college. The first contest is to be held tonight.

Morse Hall, containing Cornell's valuable chemical laboratories, was destroyed by fire Feb. 13. The loss is estimated at \$300,000, partly covered by insurance.

Seniors at the University of Texas are to wear full dress collars and bat wing ties, and carry canes on Mondays and Thursdays.

Students of the University of Kansas have been playing tennis on ice skates the past week.

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## INDIAN QUINT ADDS TWO MORE VICTORIES

teamwork of the Jackets featured their playing, while "Polly" Stryker and Zion featured for the Indians with their shooting.

A number of Richmond and other alumni were spectators and their enthusiastic rooting was almost a feature of the contest.

This was the closest game ever witnessed on the Ashland floor, and is one of the few defeats that the Jackets have suffered on their home court.

Line-up and summary:

R.-M.	Position	W. & M.
Waters	.....l f.....	Jones
Finney	.....r f.....	Zion
Scott	.....c.....	Gayle
Richardson	.....l g.....	Stryker
Brittingham	.....r g.....	Zehmer

Goals from field, Waters 2, Finney 2, Scott 3, Brittingham 1, Jones 2, Zion 3, Gayle 3, Stryker 3; goals from foul, Scott 6, Gayle 2; referee, Hargrove (V. P. I.); time of halves, 20 minutes.

### MINNIMUSES TO PLAY

The William and Mary Minnimuses aux Petites have accepted the challenge of Williamsburg High to a game of basketball to be played in college gym Friday night. The game will be called at 8 o'clock sharp, and "Tommy" Geddy will officiate.

Coach Vaden reports that the High school contingent is in perfect trim for a hard gruelling battle, which he believes necessary for victory over the fast more-to-grow combination. The High School coach is confident that his team will walk away with the big end of the score just on general principles.

Captain Dean, of the abbreviated quint has also stated some reasons why the Minnimuses are going to land the bacon. "If you take into consideration," said the corpulent captain, "the fact that we have a superior knowledge of what the winter past-time should be, that we have a more formidable appearance, and the prestige of age over youth, you will have to admit, if we lose, it will be only because of our lightning-like fashion of goal shooting which in many cases cannot be followed by the eye. Such being the case, I shall be compelled to put on the safety breaks, and running at a stand still, the score will not be as one-sided as I want to predict for my mechanism proteges."

An admission charge of 5 cents will be accepted if the spectators insist, the proceeds going to the benefit of the Deane-Heflin Movie Fund.

The teams will line-up as follows:

Min.	Position	H. S.
Deane, (capt)	.....l f.....	Henley
Dalhousie	.....r f.....	Johnson (capt)
Brooks	.....c.....	Bozarth
Wisen	.....l g.....	Van Fosse

Taylor .....r g.....Henley  
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